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Items of Interest Locally

Watch for our Spaulding base ball goods. City Pharmacy.

M. B. McDonald was a Lethbridge visitor this week.

Try our new bulk chocolates, fresh every week. City Pharmacy.

We have a good supply of first class butter. Nicholson & Switzer.

Mrs. J. B. Taylor, of Edmonton, has been visiting with Mrs. J. W. Fortune this week.

For right prices on groceries that will please you go to Nicholson & Switzer.

"Mark" Hanna, now of Red Deer, was shaking hands with old friends in town Monday.

Dr. Sharpe is having a deep well drilled on his lot on Barnett avenue, preparatory to building a residence thereon.

Schools have been enjoying a vacation this week while the teachers attended the provincial teachers' convention at Lethbridge.

The following hospital donations have been received: Mrs. A. Gilmore, three pair of sheets, three pair of towels; Mrs. C. L. Hall, one pair of curtains.

Motorists are warned that twenty miles an hour in town is the maximum speed limit prescribed by law. \$30 and costs is the chance you take if you exceed the limit.

In the Gold Medal Contest in Oratory, held Tuesday evening in the Methodist church under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., Miss Beattie Sharpe was the successful contestant.

For Sale or Trade—One Bay mare, weight 1150 rising 3 year old, in foal, to trade for good single driver. Also good team 3 year olds, geldings, weight 2300.—R. B. Hill, City Pharmacy.

Lacombe live stock was made in evidence at the Edmonton Stock Show last week. W. E. Tees' stock won thirty five cash prizes. Maurice Tees won the first prize for boy rider in a class of eighteen.

Seedling is now in full swing in this district. The very open fall last year permitted a large amount of fall plowing to be done, which will result in a larger acreage and earlier seedling than would otherwise have been possible.

A basket social will be held in Wilmut school house on the evening of April 24; proceeds in behalf of school. A short program will be given, followed by a sale of baskets and dancing. Everybody welcome. Ladies please bring baskets.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches will present "The Ladies' Aid meeting at Mohawk Crossroads" on April 23, at the Comet Theater. It will be the funniest comedy ever seen in Lacombe. Be sure to get your tickets early, as they will be in great demand.

Money for a Good Purpose

The box social and dance given in Boode's Hall on Monday night in aid of the fund being raised to assist Mrs. Haynes brought in \$23.35 from the sale of boxes, and \$8.66 from donations. Since then a list has been passed around bringing in donations amounting to \$55.50, the total sum raised being \$89.50. This sum, while not large, will nevertheless be of material assistance to the widow, who has been having a hard struggle to support herself and children, and it comes just in time to enable her to save her little property from foreclosure in default of payment of interest on mortgage.

Following is a list of those who have subscribed to the fund since Monday night:—Fred McFetridge \$2.00, J. W. Fortune \$1.00, Friend \$5c, City Pharmacy \$5c, F. McLeer \$1.00, C. B. Denike \$5c, Frizzell & Gunn \$2.00, J. H. Watt \$1.00, Chas. Raymond \$1.00, E. Titworth \$1.00, Friend \$1.00, B. S. Cameron \$1.00, R. G. Gilmore \$1.00, F. Wagh \$5c, D. Garland \$1.00, D. Cameron \$5c, B. C. Cafe \$5c, F. Vickerson \$2.00, J. M. Auld \$5c, Mrs. R. S. Metzger \$5c, Hilda Olson \$5c, Lillie Mandin \$5c, D. W. Garner \$1.00, J. C. Peters \$1.00, C. D. Deans \$5c, E. R. Banks \$5c, A. J. McDougall \$5c, Friend \$5c, John McKenty \$1.00, S. P. Morris \$1.00, F. E. McLeod \$2.00, W. N. Woody \$1.00, A. M. Campbell \$2.00, Hop Chung \$5c, J. Bulger \$5c, W. L. Elliott \$5c, L. B. Miller \$1.00, Friend \$1.00, Mrs. Lockman \$1.00, Libor Peterka \$5c, H. Trimble \$1.00, R. Scott \$1.00, Tuglia & Cameron \$1.00, H. Slater \$2.00, Friend \$1.00, L. A. Sherer \$5c, Friend \$5c, Friend \$1.00, Friend \$1.00, C. Adams \$1.00, S. Nicholson \$5c, Vickers & Kersee \$1.00, Dr. Harrington \$5c, C. B. Egan \$5c, Mr. Gibson \$5c, Mr. Danner 1 each four, Will Cannon \$5c, G. T. Jackson \$5c, F. B. George \$5c, A. MacDonnell \$1.00, Jesse Fraser \$1.00, Gust Collins \$1.00, Edwin L. Jones \$5c, Geo. Playfair \$1.00, H. L. Brown \$5c, Ona Scoggins \$5c.

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The Pesticiferous Hen

A number of Lacombe capitalists, headed by Chas. Watkins, Esq., of the F. L. Smith Co. Limited, are seriously considering the establishment in Lacombe of a meat preserving depot—or cold storage warehouse. It is the intention of these gentlemen, if their efforts to float the company are successful, to confine their business this year to poultry, making a specialty of the roaming variety. Most of the gentlemen who are expected to buy stock in the company are lovers of nice garden plots for which Lacombe is justly famous, and the supply is to be secured by capturing, trapping or shooting the stray hens and chickens which infest these gardens. It is thought for a time they will be able to secure an unlimited supply

of poultry in this manner, and at no expense other than the cost of ammunition or traps. Manager Watkins has vowed a vow that there will be terrible slaughter on his premises in the near future unless owners of poultry take heed and keep their live stock off his garden. With the great number of hens in sight in Mr. Watkins' garden, the company should start under most favorable conditions. Owners of poultry in the north-west side of the town may secure further information from any of the gentlemen interested. In the meantime keep your hens tied up.—Globe.

The Guardian is credibly informed that numerous garden owners, in other parts of town, are anxious to subscribe to large blocks of stock in the proposed company.

A Question of Policy

The crux of the whole question in regard to the construction of the National Transcontinental railway and Gutelius-Stanton report, now that the main charges of the scandal-hunting investigators as to deliberate waste in construction have been absolutely disproved, simmers down to a straight question of policy. Were the Liberals right in advocating and carrying through the policy constructing the road with minimum curvatures and gradients, and with permanent structures from the outset? Or are the Conservatives right in proposing sharper curves, heavier grades and temporary structures, and are they justified in reversing the Liberal policy as twice endorsed by the people of Canada, and in now departing from the high standard of construction adopted by every big railway on the continent and advocated by every leading transportation expert?

Here is the answer from the standpoint of facts and figures.

In an official report on file in the National Transcontinental office, prepared by ex-chief engineer Lumsden of the Commission and Mr. M. J. Butler, ex-deputy minister of railways—authorities surely better than Messrs. Gutelius or Lynch-Stanton in matters of practical railway engineering—the following facts are given. On the Lewis to Moncton section of the National Transcontinental the annual saving in operating expenses, on a basis of ten fully loaded freight trains per day, is \$2,950,864, as compared with the hauling of the same amount of traffic over the Intercolonial with its one per cent grades. Capitalized at four per cent this gives \$73,988,613; as the increased value of the Transcontinental because of its low grades and superior hauling capacity. That increased value, from the standpoint of operation alone, is more than the whole cost of this section of the road. If the Grand Trunk Pacific can save \$2,197,544 each year in operating expenses because of the low grade and low surcharges on this 455 mile section, then on the whole 1800 miles from Moncton to Lewis the annual sav-

ing in operating expenses will be \$7,990,900.

If momentum grades and sharper curvatures had been adopted, as advocated by Messrs. Gutelius and Stanton and by the Conservatives, Mr. Lumsden in an official report made before he retired from the Commission estimates that the total cost of the road would be \$36,500,000 less. That would make a total cost of \$143,500,000 on which the Grand Trunk Pacific would be required to pay rental at three per cent. That would make the annual charge for rental \$4,296,000 as against \$5,400,000 which would be the rental charge on the present estimated cost of \$180,000,000. The difference is \$1,104,000. But the annual saving in operating expenses would, as has been said, be \$7,990,900 through adhering to the standard of construction adopted by the Liberal Government. The net saving through the adoption of the Liberal policy is \$6,886,900. These figures do not include the saving in passenger traffic which is estimated at \$2,255,333 per annum, thus giving a grand total of \$9,142,233 in favor of operating 1,600 miles of low gradient railway as compared with the standard of road which the Conservatives wanted to build.

Apart altogether from the obvious misrepresentations and untruths of the Gutelius-Stanton report and its unsubstantiated charge that forty millions of the people's money has been wasted in building a road of too high a standard of construction from the first, figures like these, which have so far never been refuted and which were deliberately ignored by the investigators and by the Conservative speakers, supply a convincing reply to the whole Government case.

Neither Facts Nor Logic

Much has been said by Government speakers in the recent Parliamentary debate upon the Transcontinental Railway and by the Government press in regard to alleged over-payment by the late Liberal Cabinet to contractors employed in the road's construction. "The country was robbed," they say, echoing the partisan Gutelius-Lynch-Stanton report. "Contractors were paid more than they earned. Over-classification was frequent, and the contractors profited improperly at public expense in consequence."

True, they offer no credible evidence to support the charges and accompanying insinuations. There are many words, but no proof. But suppose the charges and insinuations were based on fact, then why has the Borden Government not taken steps to have restored to the public treasury the money which was alleged?

The Government has instituted no prosecutions against anyone else connected with the building of the Transcontinental. But prosecutions are unnecessary; the Gov-

ernment has an easier method at its command.

Every contractor on the Transcontinental was required to deposit with the Dominion authorities a heavy deposit to be forfeited if his contract was not properly carried out. Mr. Gordon Grant, chief engineer of the project for four or five years past, has testified upon oath that the total security thus deposited has been more than sufficient to meet all claims which might be made upon it. This security is still in the hands of the present National Transcontinental Commission, Major Leonard, still under the control of the Dominion Government.

If the Liberals made over-payments to any contractors; if any contractors gained publicly money dishonestly through over-classification; if the charges and insinuations of the Borden speakers and the Borden press are true, why have Mr. Borden and his colleagues not hastened to reimburse the public treasury by taking from the contractors' security in their hands an amount equal to that which they say was gained improperly under Liberal rule? Prosecutions are not necessary; the Government has had a quicker method than prosecutions to restore these "stolen" funds.

But the Government has not availed itself of this method. It has not deducted a cent from the deposits in its hands. Could better proof be needed of the utter futility of the Conservative charge of over-payments and over-classification? The Government's course is in itself the best proof of the falseness of Conservative assertions and insinuations.

There is another bit of conclusive proof. Gordon Grant was appointed chief engineer under Liberal rule. He certified every estimate upon which payments for Transcontinental construction were made. If over-payments were made, if over-classification was permitted, then Mr. Grant was either incompetent or dishonest. Those who know Mr. Grant are well aware that he is both competent and honest. The Borden Government knows it for the Borden Government has kept him in office. And by continuing him in office the Government itself gives the lie to its own friends who shout of over-payments and over-classification on the Transcontinental under Liberal rule.

Sale of Purebreds at Lacombe

Entries for the big sale of purebred bulls, to be held at Lacombe June 2, will close on May 2, according to the latest announcement of the Alberta Cattle Breeders' Association, and the Alberta Department of Agriculture. Bulls will be delivered to Alberta points for \$3 each, and to B. C. mainland and to Saskatchewan points for \$5 each. The catalogue will be ready about May 15. Entry forms and further particulars may be obtained from Secretary Richardson, Victoria Park, Calgary.

Exciting Capture of Stolen Auto

Edmonton, April 13.—With heads bent and clinging to the madly racing car, Detectives Laney and Coleman last night chased alleged auto thieves along the Fort trail for several miles, eventually catching their men who now lie in the cells awaiting trial.

According to spectators who got a momentary glimpse of the speeding machines it was some race. The pursued ones got a start of about a mile. They were in a big Cadillac and the man at the wheel did not hesitate to let it out. For seven miles both cars whizzed past pedestrians, other autos and vehicles at a pace that made onlookers gasp and run for shelter. Slowly the police car made headway and began to overhail the stolen car. The excitement became intense. There were many people on the road taking advantage of the beautiful weather for a Sunday night walk or drive, and according to one of the detectives it was a miracle that some one is not dead as a result of the race, for people were missed by inches by the auto driven by the desperate fliers from justice.

When about seven miles from the city there were only a few hundred yards separating the two cars. The demands of the minors of the law that the alleged thieves should stop were either unheard or unheeded for the leading car seemed to get a new lease of life and for another mile the pursuers got no nearer their quarry.

It was the long hill about eight miles from the city that did the trick. The little police Ford shot up the incline without slackening pace, but it proved too much for the Cadillac and by the time the summit was reached both autos were abreast.

Laney jumped up from his seat and pointing his shooting iron at the man at the wheel, shouted: "Stop that car, or I will stop you."

There was no response. The driver grimly held on and never slackened pace for an instant. This hill was almost negotiated and he probably thought that once the heavy car started down the incline that the extra weight of the Cadillac would stand in good stead in making a getaway.

Things were getting desperate. The detectives were at their wits' end as to what to do. They were afraid to fire for they thought they would scare their men so badly that an accident would result. Laney took a desperate chance and won out. While the cars were racing at a speed approaching sixty miles an hour he jumped from the police auto and landed beside the driver of the Cadillac. In language more expressive than polite he then demanded that "steem" be shut off. Seeing that the game was up the alleged thieves gave themselves up and the little party returned to the police station, but not quite so quickly as they went out.

The stolen car belongs to James Bequette of Tenth street, who reported last night that he had seen two men taking his auto and described how they were dressed and the way they went.

The names of the men arrested are Arthur Mitchell and Wilfred Stephenson.

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An Interview With Ban Johnson, President American Baseball League

When I put the question, frankly I had no suspicion of what it would bring. For an hour, Ban Johnson, the pink-faced president of the American Baseball League, had smiled under my fusillade of questions. Then he had approached the national game from the angles of business, psychology, and sport. It was in a full throated voice that he said, "I asked, 'And what of baseball, now a sport, but as a profession?' What are the requisites to success demanded of the young man who would make it a matter of bread, and butter, a ca-

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Naming the Park

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park?
Call it Kochinland Park!
The name hardly seems appropriate
for a ball field.

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finest of diamonds.

Our Japanese Sisters.
All girls in Japan are taught, either by their parents or by the state, that they are to be faithful to their parents, true to their friends, kind to others and sisters and to live peacefully in their land. These principles are taught to boys and girls alike since 1880, when the emperor commanded it. Before that girls were encouraged according to the teachings of the Japanese, who, like the Chinese, the Japanese, were, Kaibara, that the great duty in life was obedience, first to their parents and then to their husbands. It was not until 1880 that it was decided that they must regard their husbands as gods. It is pretty hard to make a twentieth-century woman understand the Japanese. In Japan it is lucky that it has been dropped here, though it is still in full force in China and in most of Turkey and Persia.—Kate Union Clark in *Life's*.

RHEUMATISM DURING MARCH

Victims Can Cure themselves With Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

During the month of March people who are afflicted with rheumatism begin to have changes of weather to their trouble. The weather is changeable—also—balmy and springlike one day, cold, raw and piercing the next. It is such sudden changes of weather, which start the pangs and tortures of rheumatism, lumbago and sciatica going by. But it must be borne in mind that all such changes of weather, which start the pain, the trouble is rooted in the blood, and can only be cured through the blood. All the ailments and all the sufferings of the body are rooted in the blood. Rubbing may seem to ease the pain while you are rubbing, but there is no cure. The blood must be purified. Only by treating the disease through the blood can you get relief. That is why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured so many.

**WOMAN IN
TERRIBLE STATE**

licking steps, coughs, cures, colds, and he
the throat and lungs. 11 11 25 con

Not inoculated.

During a session of the supreme court of Maine a tedious and complicated suit had well nigh exhausted the patience of counsel on both sides. One of the lawyers engaged was a certain Appleton, said to be the wisest lawyer in all New England.

Opposing him was a lawyer pompous, alien and much avoirdupois, who committed blunder after blunder until even the judge became irritated.

new, rich blood these pills actually create. They cure rheumatism, lumbago and neural troubles are banished. Among the many authors from rheumatism, lumbago, neuralgia, sciatica, etc., I quote, O. W. Jones, N.S., who says: "About two years ago I was laid up with rheumatism, and was so paralyzed that I had been using doctors' medicines for a long time but it did me no good. I then bought Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and after a few days I would cure me that only thing that would cure me would be a change of climate. At this time I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and got a supply. After I had taken them for a while I found they were doing me good. I was able to walk again, and they completely cured me and I have not been sick since. I can safely, I strongly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for this trouble. If you suffer from rheumatism, or any other ailment, get a supply of these pills, and begin to cure yourself today with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills which under a fair trial will do for you what no other medicine can do for you. Sold by all medicine dealers, or by mail at 50 cents a box of six boxes for \$2.50. Write to Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

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The Trick of Ski Jumping
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and over it all to Lydia E. Pinkham's Remedies. You're not a young girl any more. If you like, I think if more women used your remedies they would be better health. You're not a young girl any more. You're 47, Cape Wolfe, P.E.I., Canada.

Because your case is a difficult one, and doctors having done you no good, do not think of giving up. You're not a young girl any more. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured me. It surely has remedied many cases like mine, such as inflammation, ulceration, displacements, tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, backache, and it may be exactly what you need.

The Pinkham record is a proud and peerless one. It is the story of giving Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to thousands of women who were ill—like that deal out despair. It is a celebration of the fact that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has cured so many women—like thousands of such suffering women. Why don't you try it if you need such a medicine?

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and started to talk about a buffalo
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the man, "I have seen one of
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the grapes.
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the grapes." "Why not?" "W
"Well," he continued, turning to the
the grapes, "I have seen one of
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the grapes, "I have seen one of
telling what a buffalo might do to
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The dear girls were talking.
"Do you really think Jack has some?" asked the unattached or engaged girl.
"I like his face better than anybody next to one."
"Whose?"
"Mine!" —Indianapolis News

Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada

Leading Features of the Directors' Report for 1913

Assets as at 31st December, 1913	\$55,726,347.32
Increase over 1912	6,126,730.83
Cash Income from Premiums, Interest, Rents, etc., in 1913	13,996,401.64
Increase over 1912	1,663,320.04
Profits Distributed to Policy Holders during 1913	706,424.19
Added to Surplus during 1913	421,904.26
Total Surplus 31st December, 1913, over all liabilities and capital	\$752,986.08
Death Claims, Matured Endowments, Profits, etc., during 1913	4,982,553.25
Payments to Policyholders since organization	39,388,287.91
Premiums Received since organization	94,012,632.86
Payments to policyholders since organization and assets now held for their benefit	95,111,635.23
New Business (paid for in cash) during 1913	34,290,916.79
Increase over 1912	3,476,507.15
Assurance in Force 31st December, 1913	202,363,996.00
Increase over 1912	19,631,576.00

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1872	\$ 48,210.93	\$ 96,461.95	\$ 1,064,350.00
1883	274,865.50	735,940.10	6,779,566.00
1893	1,240,483.12	4,001,776.90	27,799,757.00
1903	3,986,139.50	15,508,776.48	75,681,189.00
1913	13,996,401.64	55,726,347.32	202,363,996.00

Robert Macaulay, President	Head Office MONTREAL	T. B. Macaulay, Managing Director and Secretary
Archibald McTeer, Calgary, Manager for Alberta		N. T. Truell, Regina, Manager for Saskatchewan
W. G. Talbot, Edmonton, Loan Manager for Alberta		S. B. Nelles, Regina, Loan Manager for Saskatchewan
W. D. McCallum, Winnipeg,	Manager for Manitoba	

Why He Was Angry	Example Followed
First Motelier—He was very narrow (Lard)—But why all this fuss? We haven't damaged you. You can't bring an action against us.	Landlord—Good morning, sir. Just stepped into the car to see the compartment you took for the rent.
Second Motelier—I know I can't; that's just my point.	Landlord—Oh, my dear friend, I want to complain about the doors you took these left-hand doors.
Miner's Liniment Cures Dandruff.	Landlord—Now, you know, it takes time to settle.
Important Point	Tenant—At three I came to find the house's example. Good day, sir. Call again.
He—But what are your reasons for using me?	He seems to be always changing his bow.
She (a novelty)—I don't call her Shmuel, until I get them copyrighted.	Yes; that appears to be his method of providing for a rainy day.

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A FIGHT FOR RAILWAY MONOPOLY

"Just as in 1903, the Conservative Opposition fought the proposal of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to give competitive railway service for the development of the four western provinces—so today by the use of this report of a partisan commission, and by their arguments in the House do they show their determination in office to break the back of the only enterprise in sight that can give these four western provinces the effective railway competition which they require."

That was the clear-cut way in which Hon. Frank Oliver defined the motive of the Government in its present campaign against the National Transcontinental Railway, in a logical and thoughtful speech in the Commons last week.

"A Government and a party," said Mr. Oliver, "are being condemned for having done a work too well; it is the first time I have ever heard criticism advanced from that standpoint." Mr. Oliver called the attention of the House to the fact that while over one hundred million dollars had been spent by the late Government, upon the enterprise, without a single dollar having gone to party purposes or private gain, it had been shown in the House recently that in the construction of thirteen miles of the Southampton Railway in New Brunswick, under the present administration, there had been a disbursement of the public treasury to the extent of \$56,000, and that a royal commission had to be appointed to investigate.

In clear and logical manner Mr. Oliver outlined to the House the purposes for which the National Transcontinental had been undertaken by the late Government. For seventeen years, he declared, the west had had railway facilities but under a condition of monopoly, which prevented and discouraged satisfactory development. The attitude of the people had been that they were farming on shares with the Canadian Pacific Railway; they had one bushel of their output, and the railway through its monopolies, had the other bushel. It was to break this condition of monopoly and to provide competitive railway competition for the western provinces, that the late Government had undertaken the building of the National Transcontinental Railway.

Mr. Oliver outlined the difficulties under which the western farmers had labored in marketing their grain. He declared that with the limitations of the existing facilities grain had to be rushed through before the close of navigation; but on the Great Lakes it was subject to the high rates instituted by a Lake Navigation Combine; that the desire to rush the crop through before navigation closed resulted nearly every year in a serious blockade; and that the playing of the western crop on the Liverpool market in such a short time resulted in a slump in prices as a consequence of which millions of dollars were lost every year to the producers on the western plains.

"If the crop in the west is to be handled as it should be handled," he declared, "namely by carriage all the year round, then it must be by some other railway built on the shortest line from point to point,

with the lowest possible grades, and the slightest possible curves, so that there shall be the least possible distance to cover, and the lowest possible cost per bushel in covering that distance." It was in order that that end might be attained that the National Transcontinental Railway was conceived and constructed by the late Government. The opposition of the present Government is simply an echo of former protestations to that end inspired by the existing monopolies. The real object of the road has been carefully ignored by the Guelph-Lynch-Stanton report and in the Conservative speeches in the House.

"What is to be said as to the responsibility of a Government of Canada who do not hesitate to attempt to bring down in ruin this enterprise in the hope that they may thereby injure their political opponents, and discredit the line?" asked Mr. Oliver, in conclusion. "Surely they have chosen a fitting time. When money is scarce, when credit is difficult, when more money is needed in order to complete this road, they have chosen a time when they could do most damage. We do not know whether they will be successful or not, but if this enterprise is successfully carried through our honorable friends on the Government side can say that it is because they could not help it."



The Liquor License Ordinance

Applications for Liquor Licenses

The following applications for liquor licenses will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners at the annual meeting to be held in the City Hall, Wetaskiwin, on Wednesday the sixth day of May, 1914, at 10:30 o'clock a.m.:

Sam Baxter, for renewal of license in respect to the Alberta Hotel, situate on Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 10, Plan "M-1," Wetaskiwin.

D. Victor Osborn, for renewal of license in respect to the Criterion Hotel, situate on Lots 5 and 6, Block 3, Plan "M," Wetaskiwin.

Driedard Hotel Company, Limited (C. Smith, Mgr.), for renewal of license in respect to the Driedard Hotel, situate on Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 3, Plan "M," Wetaskiwin.

John Zimmer, for renewal of license in respect to the Prince of Wales Hotel, situate on Lots 6 to 10 inclusive, Block 1, Wetaskiwin.

Fred W. Drager, for renewal of license in respect to the Royal Hotel, situate on Lots "1 and 22, Block 10, Plan "M-1," Wetaskiwin.

Robert J. Thomson, for renewal of wholesale liquor license, in respect to store, situate on Lot 6, Block 2, Wetaskiwin.

Jud Pelter, for renewal of license in respect to the Rosebowl Hotel, Bittern Lake.

William Paul, for renewal of license in respect to the Grandview Hotel, situate on Lots 17 and 18, Block 2, Okanogan.

The Arlington Hotel Company, Limited (V. Matribas, Mgr.), for renewal of license in respect to the Arlington Hotel, situate on Lots 7 and 8, Block 3, Plan XXVIII, Camrose.

Eugene Eldon Lawrence, for renewal of license in respect to the Windsor Hotel, situate on Lots 7 to 10 inclusive, Block 2, Camrose.

Camille David, for renewal of wholesale liquor license in respect to store situate on Lots 13 and 14, Block 2, Plan XXVIII, Camrose.

Joseph D. Halford and Thomas Ward, for renewal of license in

respect to the Angus Hotel, situate on Lots 16, 16 and 17, Block 2, Plan "L.V.," Daysland.

Neil A. McIntyre and Archie L. McIntyre, for renewal of license in respect to the New Alberta Hotel, situate on Lot No. 3, Block 2, Plan "L.V.," Daysland.

Martin Neilson, for renewal of wholesale liquor license in respect to store situate on Lot 10, Block 2, Daysland.

Henry Thomas Baker, for renewal of license in respect to the Union Hotel, situate on Lots 15, 16 and 17, Block 3, Bawlf.

Theodore E. Skagen, for renewal of license in respect to the Florence Hotel, situate on Lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, Block 3, Killam.

John Graham, for renewal of license in respect to the Lake View Hotel, situate on Lots 18 and 19, Block 1, Pacific Avenue, Strone.

William J. Haynes, for renewal of license in respect to the Pioneer Hotel, situate on Lots 15, 16, 17, 18 inclusive, Block 3, Sedgewick.

Frank E. Bretall, for renewal of license in respect to the King Edward Hotel, situate on Lots 16 and 17, Block 1, Hardisty.

Central Alberta Hotel Company, Limited (William Cavin, Pres.), for renewal of license in respect to the Cecil Hotel, situate on Lots 30 and 31, Block 3, Hardisty.

James Christian Neilson, for renewal of license in respect to the Alberta Hotel, situate on Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 12, Meaham.

Andrew Hutson, for renewal of license in respect to the Hotel Provost, situate on Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 3, Provost.

George Limberts and George Sellars, for renewal of license in respect to the Leland Hotel, situate on Lot 12, Block 2, Ponoka.

Joseph J. Kleckner and David R. Morgan, for renewal of license in respect to the Royal Hotel, situate on Lots 8, 9 and 10, Block 2, Ponoka.

Moses Hosick, for renewal of license in respect to the King George Hotel, situate on Lots 9, 9 and 10, Block 2, New Norway.

Charles Victor O'Hara, for renewal of license in respect to the Grand View Hotel, situate on Lots 8, 9 and 10, Block 3, Laughed.

Isaac Newton Haviland, for renewal of license in respect to the Hotel Haviland, situate on Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 3, Donald.

Albert Livingstone, for renewal of license in respect to the Livingstone Hotel, situate on Lots 16 to 17, Block 3, Fernintosh.

George A. Calvert, for renewal of license in respect to the Imperial Hotel, situate on Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 9, Mirror.

Everard Allie Hargre, for consent to the transfer to himself of the license granted George A. Calvert in respect to the Imperial Hotel, situate on Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 9, Mirror.

Dated at Edmonton this 7th day of April, 1914.

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SIR LYMAN JONES AND THE FARMER

The announcement by Sir Lyman Jones that he will no longer support the Liberal party should have special significance for the average Canadian elector.

Sir Lyman Jones is head of the Massey Harris Company which is engaged in the manufacture of agricultural implements. He is closely connected with other companies in similar lines of business. For years he was counted among the prominent Liberals of the Dominion. Under the Government of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, he was appointed to the Senate and is a member of that body at the present time. He professed to be a Liberal until his own announcement a few days ago.

Wherein lies the reason for his change of attitude? Why does he now withdraw support from that party of which he has been a member?

His change of attitude, as he himself says, is due to the fact that the Liberals have declared by their votes in the Commons that the duties upon agricultural implements should be entirely abolished. For this reason Sir Lyman Jones takes sides against Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Liberal party.

In the stand which they have taken on this question the Liberals have been actuated by the belief that tariff protection is no longer needed by the Canadian makers of farm machinery and by the conviction that the farmers of Canada who are willing to forego protection for themselves should be given the opportunity of purchasing their implements of production at cost plus a fair profit to the manufacturer and should not be compelled, as they hitherto have been, to pay the Canadian manufacturer not only a considerable profit but also a further amount equal to the duty levied upon implements of foreign make.

That the Canadian manufacturer of implements is no longer in need of protection has been amply proven in recent years. It has been proven by the fact that he has been able to send his Canadian-made implements into foreign markets in the face of foreign duties and compete successfully in the "home markets" of foreign manufacturers. It has been proven by the other fact that, in some cases at least, the Canadian manufacturer has sold his implements in foreign countries at lower prices than he has demanded for them from the farmers of the Dominion. With these facts before them, the Liberals set out to attempt to give assistance to the farmers of Canada. Straightway, Sir Lyman Jones, interested in the manufacture of implements, ceased to be a Liberal. Straightway he declares that he is "unalterably out of the Liberal party."

There are several facts worth noting. It is worth noting that the Liberals are adhering consistently to their policy of tariff reduction with the object of lessening the burdens upon the people of the Dominion. By the Reciprocity Agreement of 1911 they sought to lessen those burdens and at the same time obtain wider markets for Canadian products. Defeated is that endeavor the Liberals, in Opposition, continue their fight for tariff relief. Three main planks in their tariff platform stand out distinctly—free food; free wheat in order that the Canadian farmer may

sell his wheat at greater advantage and the Canadian consumer obtain his flour at lower prices than are now charged; free agricultural implements in order that the Canadian agriculturist may obtain his farm machinery at lower prices without any real injury to Canadian manufacturers, and thus be able to produce more cheaply with consequent benefit to himself and to the consumer who uses the products of his farm.

It is worth noting also that Sir Lyman Jones would not leave the Liberal party if he had not reason for the belief that the implement business can expect more favorable tariff treatment from the present High Protectionist Government than from Sir Wilfrid Laurier; without this reason his change of front would be absurd. Sir Lyman Jones knows, no doubt, that Premier Borden may tinker with the implement tariff, that gentleman will not give the farmers real assistance by abolishing the farm machinery duties.

A third fact stands out demanding the attention of every Canadian elector. That fact is that in the political fights of the next few years the Liberal party will have ranged against it more solidly than ever before the Special Interests which have tariff favors to seek and privileges to protect. The action of Sir Lyman, estimable man though he may personally be, makes this fact abundantly clear. Ranging themselves more definitely and emphatically than ever before on the side of the average free day citizen of Canada the Liberals now have to face the unwavering, uncompromising opposition of every Special Interest.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his followers are going to the battle with the courage of honest conviction. If victory is delayed, if victory should not come, the fault will not be theirs but the fault of the every-day citizens upon whose votes at the polls the issue must depend.

A CONCLUSIVE ANSWER

Here is one conclusive answer to all the reckless talk of Conservative speakers and Conservative newspapers about waste and dishonesty in connection with over-payments by the Laurier Government to National Transcontinental contractors.

Take the case of contract 21, which was awarded to J. D. McArthur. Before the Liberals were out of office a question arose between McArthur and the Government as to classification and over-break under the contract. Mr. McArthur declared the amount involved to be \$700,000. A board of arbitrators, consisting of Chief Engineer Gordon Grant of the N. T. R., Chief Engineer Kelliber of the G. T. P. and Mr. Collingwood Schreiber, chief consulting engineer of the Government, passed up on the case. The decision of the board was that \$550,000 should be kept back from Mr. McArthur for over-break and over-classification. Mr. Borden and his colleagues through their Transcontinental Commissioner, Major Leonard, disregarded the award of the arbitrators. They kept back not \$550,000 but \$150,000 so that in this way Mr. McArthur was given \$400,000 of the people's money.

The Conservatives have much to say also of the contract made under the late Government with M. P. and J. T. Davis. The Davis firm, they say, was allowed to take

a "rate-off" of \$740,000. They insist, too, that there was impropriety in the case of the Poirer contract under Liberal rule.

If there had been dishonesty, if the people had been robbed, through these contracts, the Davis firm and the Poirer firm were parties to the wrong-doing. If the present Government cut off these firms from doing business with the Dominion? Last year the Davis firm was paid some \$6,000,000 on one contract alone under the Borden Government. Last year the Poirer firm received a half a million under the Borden Government. These facts are sufficient answer to the partisan claptrap of the Conservatives regarding "rate-offs" and impropriety in the business these two firms did with the Dominion in the days of the Liberal administration. Either this is so or the Conservatives must accept the other horn of the dilemma and say that the Borden Government, knowing that Davis and Poirer profited improperly from the public treasury, is nevertheless content to have dealings with them in carrying on the public business.

Three Men Drowned

Elson, Ont., April 10.—A tragedy occurred late this afternoon at Barwick, the first station west of Elson on the Canadian Northern railway, caused by four men attempting to cross Bains River in a small canoe during a heavy wind. Three of the men were drowned and the fourth escaped death by a small margin, being rescued by people who heard the cry for help.

The Liquor License Ordinance

Applications for Liquor Licenses

The following applications for liquor licenses will be considered by the Board of License Commissioners at the Annual Meeting to be held in the City Hall, Red Deer, Alberta, on Thursday, the 7th day of May, 1914, at 10 o'clock a.m.

Borden Winsby Lyons, for renewal of license in respect to the Lakeview Hotel, situate on lots 9, 10 and 11, Block 3, Stettler.

Geoffrey Erlich, for renewal of license in respect to the Grand Hotel, situate on lot 24, Block 4, Aliz.

James Robert Campbell, for renewal of license in respect to the National Hotel, situate on lots 18, 19 and 20; and the east half of lot 22, Block 3, Stettler.

Joseph McMillan, for renewal of license in respect to the Royal Hotel, situate on lot 20, Block 5, Flap LIV, Stettler.

Dominion Hotel Company Limited (Bert A. Isbell, Mgr.), for renewal of license in respect to the Dominion Hotel, situate on lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 3, Stettler.

Johannes Van Rogen, for renewal of wholesale liquor license granted in respect to a store situate on lot 6, Block 1, Stettler.

Charles Leblanc, for renewal of license in respect to the Imperial Hotel, situate on lots 11 and 12, Plan XVII, Blackfolds.

Fred Krause, for renewal of license in respect to the Alexandra Hotel, situate on lots 10, 11, 12 and 13, Block 17, Plan "H," Red Deer.

The Alberta Hotel of Red Deer Limited (Patrick Robert Burke, Mgr.), for renewal of license in respect to the Alberta Hotel, situate on lots 8 to 9 inclusive, Block 10, Plan 5732P, Red Deer.

Napoleon F. Charrier and Martha Orton, for renewal of license in respect to the Arlington Hotel, situate on lots 1 to 5 inclusive, Block 10, Plan "H," Red Deer.

Stephen Wilson, for renewal of license in respect to the Windsor Hotel, situate on lots 9, 10 and 11, Block 5, Plan "H," Red Deer.

Herbert R. Arnold, for renewal of wholesale liquor license granted in respect to the store situate on lot 12, Block 5, Plan "H," Red Deer.

Edward Wadson, for renewal of license in respect to the Parker House Hotel, situate on lots 15 and 16, Block 1, Estara.

John A. Conroy, for renewal of license in respect to the Imperial Hotel, situate on lots 11, 12 and 13, Block 1, Penhold.

George Stanton Holmes, for renewal of license in respect to the Alberta Hotel, situate on lots 6, 7 and 8, Block 2, Tanisfall.

McDonald & Dundas, for renewal of license in respect to the Mount Royal Hotel, situate on lot 10, Block 10, Tanisfall.

James Hope, for renewal of license in respect to the Brewster House Hotel, situate on lots 14 and 15, Block 1, Bowden.

William John Harbison and Mortimer J. Bogart, for renewal of license in respect to the Victoria Hotel, situate on lots 1 and 2, Block 3, Olds.

Didsbury Hotel Company Limited (Charles B. Baker, Pres.), for renewal of license in respect to the Golden West Hotel, situate on lots 11 and 12, Block 8, Didsbury.

Jay Russell, for renewal of license in respect to the Royal Hotel, situate on lots 9 and 10, Block 2, Plan 2693H, Carstairs.

Charles Watkins, for renewal of license in respect to the Oxford Hotel, situate on lots 1 and 2, Block 1, Gadsby.

Carl Stettler, for renewal of license in respect to the National Hotel, situate on lots 8, 9 and 10, Block 6, Castor.

Edward John Raemer, for renewal of license in respect to the Comopolitan Hotel, situate on lots 19 and 20, Block 2, Castor.

Dan McKinnon, for renewal of license in respect to the Halkirk Hotel, situate on lots 8, 9 and 10, Block 2, Halkirk.

William Wallace Wilson and Archibald Fraser, for renewal of license in respect to the Royal Crown Hotel, situate on lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block 9, Corongton.

Consort Hotel Company Limited (Carl Bowler, Secy.), for renewal of license in respect to the Consort Hotel, situate on lots 17 and 18, Block 6, Consort.

Joseph Edge Anderson and George Albert Caven, for renewal of license in respect to the Hotel Mount View, situate on lots 1, 2 and 3, Block 21, Rocky Mountain House.

Alexandre Louiselle, for renewal of license in respect to the Alexandro Hotel, situate on Block 24, Sylvan Lake.

August Starke and Henry Seuntjens, for renewal of license in respect to the Veteran Hotel, situate on lots 9 and 10, Block 1, Veteran.


Beatrice Maude Simpson, for renewal of license in respect to the Adelphi Hotel, situate on lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, Block 5, Plan 1, Lacombe.

David Lockman, for renewal of license in respect to the Empress Hotel, situate on lot 11, Block 7, Lacombe.

F. I. Smith Limited (Charles Watkins, managing director), for renewal of the wholesale liquor license granted in respect to the store situate on lots 5 and 6, Block 5, Lacombe.

Dated at Edmonton this 3rd day of April, 1914.

JOHN D. HUNT, Acting Deputy Attorney General.



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"Yes, sir."

"Well, then, would you kindly raise this window for me? It's evidently stuck a little."

"You'll excuse me, sir," said the strong man stily, "but my conversation with you has been so interesting that I am unable to do so."

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"I am sure the ladies must always do that."

"No, I am sorry to say that they don't," he replied. "I am sure you are."

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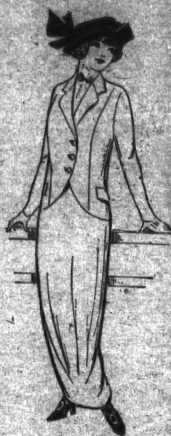
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WITH REGARD TO THE KITCHENLESS HOME.

In an address delivered by Mrs. Charlotte Perkins Gilman at the Hotel Astor in New York City the other day, she ventured the prediction that the home of the future will have its grass plot, its hearthstone and its children, but no kitchen. The housewife of the future, according to this lady, will do her ordering the night before from a laboratory conducted for the special purpose of supplying kitchenless homes with food. This food will be delivered in thermos boxes. Fifty per cent. of the people of the world, it was held, are now busy waiting on the other fifty per cent., and yet the work could be done by seven per cent. The whole trouble lies in the fact, so it was contended, that domestic affairs are carried on in a primitive, inefficient, unsatisfactory manner. Transfer the cooking to a laboratory, abolish the kitchen, dispense with the culinary help, order your food delivered in thermos boxes, and if there is anything more that any reasonable person could desire, that will be attended to later.

One takes altogether too much of a risk in these progressive times in saying that anything conceivable in the nature of improvement and progress is impossible. Too many things have happened, and happened for the

better, that some people were positive never could, should or would happen. It would be possible to enumerate scores of improvements introduced into house keeping during the last few years. But most of these improvements have been intended to make matters pleasanter in the kitchen. Look at the improved ranges, the improved water heaters, the gas stove, the fireless cooker, the long series of electric devices and contrivances for the minimizing of effort—all calculated to make the kitchen a delight rather than a burden! Now, instead of proceeding farther along the same line, instead of working toward

the time when the kitchen would almost be the most attractive alluring part of the house, its abolition is proposed. If the kitchen be abolished a great many things that go with the kitchen must be eliminated also. In short, what is home going to be without a kitchen?

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